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Applicant(s) : Wong et al.  
Filed : November 30, 2000  
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Three-Dimensional Character  
TC/A.U. : 1771  
Examiner : E. M. Cole  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENTS**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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**INTRODUCTORY REMARKS**

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 19, 2003, the time for submitting a response being extended by payment of the fee herewith, Applicants hereby submit this response including the following amendments and remarks, filed together with a Request for Continuing Examination.

Applicant also hereby submits a copy of the original document granting limited recognition to Mr. Thibault Fayette to prosecute patent application for The Procter & Gamble Company.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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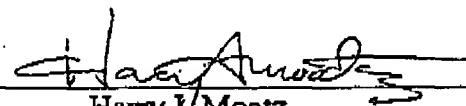
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